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Phil Kleinheinz, Fire Chief
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Dear Chief Kleinheinz:

The California Environmental Protection Agency (Cal/EPA), Office of Emergency Services and Department of Toxic Substances Control conducted a program evaluation of the City of Santa Clara Fire Department Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) on September 22, 2005, and September 23, 2005. The evaluation consisted of a review of program elements, an in-office program review and field inspections. The state evaluators completed a Certified Unified Program Agency Evaluation Summary of Findings with your agency's program management staff, which included identified deficiencies, preliminary corrective actions, and timeframes.

Cal/EPA has received documentation of corrective actions taken by the City of Santa Clara Fire Department for deficiencies found during the evaluation process. After reviewing the Summary of Findings and the documentation of corrective actions, Cal/EPA finds that all deficiencies noted in the Summary of Findings have been corrected.

Cal/EPA appreciates the actions taken by the City of Santa Clara Fire Department. Based on these corrections, Cal/EPA has modified City of Santa Clara Fire Department's rating on the evaluation from satisfactory with some improvement needed to meets program performance standards.

Thank you for your continued commitment to the protection of public health and the environment. If you have any questions or need further assistance, you may contact Jim Bohon, Manager, Cal/EPA Unified Program at (916) 327-5097 or jbohon@calepa.ca.gov.

Sincerely,

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